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Ms. Lisa M. Borders Council President City of Atlanta 55 Trinity Avenue, SW Atlanta, GA 30335

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Joyce M. Sheperd,

Dear President Borders,

We are pleased to submit Ms. Henrietta Antoinin as our appointment to the Commission to Honor Rev. Joseph E. Boone.

Ms. Antoinin is the Vice-President of Public Relations for Atlanta Life Insurance Company and a member of the senior management team. Through her active participation on the Board of Directors of the Atlanta Chapter of the NAACP, the Butler Street YMCA, the American Association of Insurance Professionals, Atlanta Rainbow PUSH Coalition, as a Trustee of the Gate City Day Nursery Foundation, and founder of the Atlanta Political Congress of Black Women, she has had the opportunity to serve Atlanta in many facets. We highly recommend Ms. Antoinin to be appointed to the Commission. Her credentials are attached for your review. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Felicia Moore

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H. Lamar Willis, Post 3, At-Large

CC: All Council Members

Ms. Rhonda Johnson, Municipal Clerk City of Atlanta Mayor Shirley Franklin

HENRIETTA ANTOININ

Henrietta Antoinin is Vice President of Public Relations for Atlanta Life Insurance Company and a member of the senior management team. In this position she manages and evaluates advertising and promotion programs for compatibility with the Company's public relations efforts. She also observes social, economic, and political trends that might ultimately have an effect upon Atlanta Life, and make recommendations to enhance the Company's image based on those trends. Atlanta Life is the nation's largest African-American stock-owned life insurance company, operating in 17 states with 20 district offices and assets of over \$200 million.

Henrietta is listed in Who's is Who in Atlanta as well as Dollars and Sense magazine who honored her as one of America's top 100 Black business and professional women. Ebony magazine also listed Henrietta as one of the 100 most promising Black Corporate Women in America and the Atlanta Business League named her Atlanta's 2004 Top Black Women of Influence. She was appointed by Governor Zell Miller as Lieutenant Colonel De Camp Governor's Staff and honored by Governor Roy Barnes with an appointment as Commissioner of the Martin Luther King Jr. State Holiday. She also served as a member of Governor Barnes' Inaugural Committee. She was inducted into the Women's Hall of Fame by the Atlanta Business League in 2004. Women Looking Ahead Magazine named Henrietta Women of the year in 2003.

Henrietta is an active member of the Public Relations Professionals organization and has been appointed Vice Chair of the Democratic Party Coordinating Committee. As a very powerful member of the Board of Directors for the Atlanta Chapter NAACP where she has served for several years, Henrietta has been responsible for positive change in the Atlanta community. IN 2001, she received the highest Atlanta NAACP honor, the Jondelle Johnson Leadership Award. She has chaired the membership drive and served as chair for the Freedom Fund Dinners. The Butler Street YMCA has benefited from Henrietta's leadership as Chair of the Board of Directors. She has also served on the Board of Directors for the American Association of Insurance Professionals.

As a Trustee of the Gate City Day Nursery Foundation, she has brought many positive changes while serving as the Curator/Coordinator of the Atlanta Life National African-American Art Competition and Exhibition, which involved hundreds of African-American artists throughout the United States. Today Atlanta Life owns one of the largest and finest collections of African-American art in the nation. This formed the foundation for the birth of the National Black Arts festival in Atlanta, GA. Henrietta was the founding president of the Atlanta Political Congress of Black Women where the national chair was Dr. Shirley Chisholm.

Henrietta is a member of the Georgia Coalition of Black women and is on the Board for the Atlanta Rainbow PUSH Coalition Wall Street Project. She is a fifth generation member of Friendship Baptist Church which she attends with her daughter, Letrease and two grandchildren Amber and Terry Lynn and enjoys singing in the Senior choir as a contraito soloist.